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BEFORE THE
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF WISCONSIN

Application of American Transmission Company, as an
Electric Public Utility, for Authority to Upgrade Its Existing
Fitchburg Substation, in the City of Fitchburg, Dane County

137-CE-112

NOTICE OF INVESTIGATION

THIS IS AN INVESTIGATION to consider the application of the American Transmission Company (ATC), as an electric public utility, for authority under Wis. Stat. § 196.49 and Wis. Admin. Code ch. PSC 112 to upgrade its existing Fitchburg Substation, in the city of Fitchburg, Dane County, at an estimated total cost of approximately \$4,685,900.

ATC is a public utility engaged in rendering electric transmission service in the state of Wisconsin, pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 196.485.

NOTICE IS GIVEN that the Commission considers it necessary, in order to carry out its duties, to investigate all books, accounts, practices, and activities of the applicant. The expenses incurred or to be incurred by the Commission which are reasonably attributable to such an investigation will be assessed against and collected from the applicant in accordance with the provisions of Wis. Stat. § 196.85 and Wis. Admin. Code ch. PSC 5.

This is a Type III action under Wis. Admin. Code § PSC 4.10(3). While the preparation of neither an environmental impact statement under Wis. Stat. § 1.11 nor an environmental assessment is normally required, an environmental review will be conducted to ensure that no significant environmental consequences are likely to occur as a result of this project. Persons wishing to comment on environmental aspects of the proposed project should contact Marilyn Weiss, Public Service Commission, P.O. Box 7854, Madison, WI 53707-7854, or call (608) 266-1613.

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Questions regarding this matter may be directed to docket coordinator Terri Kosobucki at (608) 267-3595.

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin, _____

By the Commission:

Lynda L. Dorr
Secretary to the Commission

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